

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK

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Olive Group North America LLC et al.,

Plaintiffs,

—v—

Afghanistan International Bank,

Defendant.

21-cv-10836 (AJN) (RWL)

ORDER

ALISON J. NATHAN, District Judge:

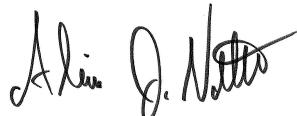
On March 4, 2022, Defendants filed a motion to dismiss. Pursuant to Rule 3.E of this Court's Individual Practices in Civil Cases, on or before March 18, 2022, Plaintiff must notify the Court and its adversary in writing whether (1) it intends to file an amended pleading and when it will do so or (2) it will rely on the pleading being attacked. Plaintiff is on notice that declining to amend its pleadings to timely respond to a fully briefed argument in the Defendants' March 4 motion to dismiss may well constitute a waiver of the Plaintiff's right to use the amendment process to cure any defects that have been made apparent by the Defendants' briefing. *See Loreley Fin. (Jersey) No. 3 Ltd. v. Wells Fargo Sec., LLC.*, 797 F.3d 160, 190 (2d Cir. 2015) (leaving "unaltered the grounds on which denial of leave to amend has long been held proper, such as undue delay, bad faith, dilatory motive, and futility").

If Plaintiff chooses to amend, Defendants may then (a) file an answer; (b) file a new motion to dismiss; or (c) submit a letter stating that they rely on the initially-filed motion to dismiss.

Nothing in this Order alters the time to amend, answer or move provided by the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure or Local Rules.

SO ORDERED.

Dated: March 8, 2022  
New York, New York



ALISON J. NATHAN  
United States District Judge